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1924



BREAK O'DAY (Hybrid-Cactus)

This fine giant dahlia of our own introduction is the beautiful blending of the decorative and cactus types, suggesting a full high center decorative dahlia, with back curved petals coming up through the flatter ones. The color is a delicate, clear sulphur yellow, shading to sulphur white at tips. The petals are of great substance, illuminated by a satiny sheen, giving the flower a waxy appearance. Awarded the A. D. S. Certificate of Merit at Storrs, Conn., 1920. Also Sweepstakes at Seattle, Wash., 1921, for best bloom in shcw. Each ..... .50

To you who know us, thanks. Your success with Dahlias of Quality and Distinction is our success. We aim to satisfy our customers, and are justly proud of our dahlias wherever grown, and feel confident they are excelled by none.

Dahliadel Nurseries has grown to the extent that it now covers over thirty acres of ground, with 13,000 square feet of floor space devoted to the growing, storing and shipping of dahlias.

This catalog contains some of the finest introductions for 1924 ever offered, including those of other noted growers as well as our own. By careful propagation we are able to offer a number of novelties in roots and still more in plants in our Green Plant List issued in February. Better exhibition blooms can be produced from plants than from roots, by those understanding dahlia culture.

All varieties do not bloom equally well in different localities and in various soils. Therefore, it is a matter of selecting varieties suited to your needs. We will gladly recommend those suitable for your locality if you will kindly specify whether for cut flowers, garden effect or competitive exhibition. If you are having success with certain varieties, we would appreciate this knowledge.

The Dahlia Society of New Jersey has been recently organized to encourage the amateur, and maintain high standards of Jersey grown dahlias. A \$2.00 membership fee entitles you to the privileges of the society, interesting meetings and free admission to the annual show held at Newark. Come along with us. We will gladly mail you an application.

To you who do not know us, let us get acquainted. Our old customers have confidence in us. A trial order will convince you.

Be sure to ask for Green Plant List.

Your early order is invited to assure you of the widest selection of varieties.

All stock fully guaranteed.

#### DAHLIADEL NURSERIES

Vineland, New Jersey



EASTERN STAR. Decorative  
**1925 Dahliadel Introduction**

This wonderful extremely large well formed decorative dahlia will be introduced next year, but for those who admired it in our trials as (VI) there will be a very limited stock available this season. In color it is a soft saffron yellow, with old gold shadings. Flowers of great substance and good keeping qualities, with full centers, held on strong erect stems, excellent bush growth and free flowering.

April delivery Roots, \$25.00

# Dahlias of Distinction

The season of 1924 offers you unexcelled values in Dahlias of Quality and Distinction. Our stock is the finest we have ever grown. Not only have we tried out and added a number of the novelties, but have one of the finest assortments of popular high-class standard varieties at a moderate price.

Orders will be filled with strong field-grown root divisions unless an unforeseen shortage should occur, in which case we will notify you, and growing plants will be sent direct from the Nurseries and extras put in to equalize values. We do not substitute.

Our roots are all field grown from healthy stock. Dahlias propagated under proper greenhouse conditions, and then grown with field culture, plenty of room, and without forced feeding, are of the highest vitality, and the freest from disease, providing the stock used for propagating is field selected and the cuttings properly chosen. Proper propagation never has injured a dahlia, and never will. Our stock has never been forced, and is grown in Jersey, the ideal spot for dahlias.

When you buy Dahlias of Quality and Distinction, you get what you order. Our stock of about 500,000 divisions, 99 per cent. healthy and true to name, enables us to give unusual values, good service and fully guarantee our stock.

## *Our New Guarantee*

All dahlia roots and plants, if properly cared for, are guaranteed true to name and free from disease, Mosaic or stunts to the extent of replacement with true stock.

Only the best and strongest root-divisions are used in filling orders, and the utmost care exercised. But should an error occur, we will gladly rectify it if notified as soon as error is detected. Most failures in starting plants and roots are due to improper planting or because of attaching insects. No guarantee is given that plants or roots will grow and bloom, as that depends largely on soil, climatic conditions and attention. But should a root properly planted fail to start a shoot in three weeks after planting, return it to the Nurseries direct by mail and another will be sent at once.

## *Terms and Delivery*

Dahlia roots will be sent, carriage prepaid anywhere in U. S. A., C. O. D.; purchaser to pay C. O. D. charges. If cash accompanies the order, roots will be sent fully prepaid, by express or by parcel post, whichever is better, considering distance and size of order.

**DAHLIADEL NURSERIES**



BETTY (Decorative)

## 1924 Dahliadel Introduction

Extremely large flowers of great substance, even, perfect form, excellent stem and bush growth. Color, canary yellow faintly suffused salmon. As the flower develops the outer petals open back toward the stem, forming a flower of great depth with a full, high center, making it very unique.

\$10.00



EMMA MARIE (Hybrid-Cactus)

## 1924 Dahliadel Introduction

We believe this to be the best seedling we have ever introduced, having wonderful cut-flower possibilities as well as being a real exhibition dahlia. In color it is a beautiful clear bright pink with a white center. Describing it by "The Repertoire de Couleurs" it is a bright shade of violet rose. Flowers are very large, of great substance on good erect stems, keeping well when cut.

Roots, \$25.00. Plants, \$15.00.



FRANCIS LOBDELL (Waite) Hybrid-Cactus

### 1923 Introduction

Mallow pink shading to white in the center. A very stiff stem and of low growing habit. Wonderful free bloomer, splendid bedding variety, as well as an exhibition and cut-flower variety. Flowers large and of perfect form, keeps the center to the last. The stems are like pieces of cane. Certificate of Merit. A. D. S., 1922. Stock very scarce.

Tubers, \$10.00. Plants, \$5.00.



JERSEY'S BEAUTY (Waite). Decorative

### 1924 Introduction

Very fine true pink, flowers of perfect shape, produced on long, straight, stiff stems. Very free bloomer, and a splendid keeper. Certificate of Merit. A. D. S., 1923. Winner of several gold medals the past year, and winner of the highest award at Storrs, Conn.

Plants, \$10.00.



JERSEY'S JEWEL (Waite). Decorative

## 1924 Introduction

Mallow pink, very large, long petaled flowers, on good stems. A splendid exhibition variety, flowers can be had nine inches without disbudding. Certificate of Merit. A. D. S., 1923. Winner of many first prizes the past year. Tubers, \$10.00. Plants, \$5.00.



MRS. JOHN M. ROOT (Root). Hybrid-Cactus

### 1924 Introduction

An enormous flower of pure canary yellow. One of the largest dahlias ever produced. The petals are long, broad and slightly twisted, giving the flower great diameter and depth. The bush growth is remarkable, plants attaining a height of six to seven feet without forcing, holding the massive blooms well above your head. Winner of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society Silver Medal at Bryn Mawr, Pa., 1922, also Silver Medal at Philadelphia for best third-year seedling, 1923. Certificate of Merit, A. D. S. and D. S. of California, 1923. Tubers, May delivery, \$25.00.

## Additional 1924 Dahliadel Introductions

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GAIETY (Decorative). A large full-centered flower of bright carmine red, shaded yellow at base of petals. Excellent stems, form and bush growth. A cut flower as well as good for exhibition ..... 5.00

PRIDE OF DAHLIADEL (Decorative). A massive flower of great depth, similar to The Grizzly, but our tests have proven it a decided improvement. Has a fuller center, and holds an even tone without fading. Color, rich deep carmine red. A dahlia of real merit ..... 5.00

TUT (Decorative). This large notched petaled dahlia is very unique in form. Flowers held upright on sturdy stems. Habit of growth excellent. Color, rich velvety purple garnet, with lighter reverse. Very popular in our trials ..... 5.00

VINELAND (Decorative). An immense flower of wondrous beauty in one of those leading fall shades. A russet orange suffused apricot. Petals curl and twist, making an artistic flower similar to Mrs. Elkins in form. Has good keeping qualities and flowers are borne in profusion on long erect stems. A dahlia of special merit.... 5.00

### 7,000 Dahlias in Cultivation

By J. B. S. NORTON

A new manual giving names, originators or introducers, class and color, so far as known, for all dahlia varieties now grown.

You need this book, whether you issue a catalog, grow a dahlia garden, or have a new variety to name. It will help to avoid many errors in nomenclature.

Blank interleaves for adding new names.

PRICE, \$2.00, Postpaid.

## Dahlias of Distinction

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| AMERICAN BEAUTY (Show). Rich wine crimson, flowers large on erect stems, an early and profuse bloomer..  | .35  |
| ARCTIC (Paeony). One of the largest, if not the largest and best, white paeony-flowered dahlias that we have ever seen or grown. An excellent bloomer on good, erect stems .....   | 1.50 |
| ATTRACTION (Hybrid Cactus). Large, elegant flower of a clear lilac rose; borne on long stems and a dahlia of exceptional merit. A true paeony cactus type.....   | .75  |
| AUTUMN (Century). Delicate madder lake, shading yellow at centre. A beautiful autumn tint.....   | .25  |
| AYESHA (Decorative). Flowers of good form borne on long, erect stems. Color a soft, pure sulphur yellow.   | .35  |
| AZALEA (Decorative). Large, well-formed decorative with rather flat and pointed petals. Color, soft yellow, outer petals shaded pink .....   | .75  |
| BALLET GIRL (Cactus). An English type Cactus with a good stem. Beautiful flowers of immense size, color orange tipped white, some flowers pure orange, and other variations on same bush. Very free flowering .....  | 1.50 |
| BEATRICE SLOCUMB (Decorative). Brilliant crimson red with golden suffusion and tips. An early and profuse bloomer of good size and form. Velvety appearance .....  | 1.00 |
| BETTY AUSTIN (Cactus). Color rosy carmine, shading yellow at base and tips of petals. A profuse bloomer of splendid form, borne on stiff slender stems well above the foliage .....  | 3.00 |
| BILLIE (Paeony). Color light rose tipped violet rose with a suggestion of yellow at the base of the petals, the general effect being a bright rose pink. Flowers are of beautiful form, with petals curved and twisted, averaging at least six inches across on long stems.... | .50  |
| BONNIE BRAE (Decorative). An immense exhibition dahlia. Color, one of the most pleasing shades of cream shading to blush pink. Stems are a little pendant at times due to the immense flower, but it is truly a wonder in delicate shading .....                               | 1.50 |
| BREAK O' DAY (Hybrid-Cactus). See inside front cover..   | .50  |
| BREEZE LAWN (Decorative). Fiery vermillion; perfect form, good full centre. Flowers often over eight inches across .....   | .75  |

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| <b>BRIDES' BOUQUET</b> (Cactus).       | An early and profuse bloomer of purest white. Flowers medium size and perfect form. A good cut flower and good root maker.   | Stems erect ..... | 1.50 |
| <b>BUFF BEAUTY</b> (Decorative).       | Giant blooms of deep buff held erect on long stems. A favorite as it blends well with all autumn-hued dahlias.....   | 2.00              |      |
| <b>CALEB POWERS</b> (Show).            | One of the good show dahlias; petals opening back to stem, making a perfect ball. Color a very delicate lilac rose, shading lighter at centre .....  | .25               |      |
| <b>CALIFORNIA BEAUTY</b> (Cactus).     | A pure copper in color. Much resembles Golden West Cactus, except better bush growth and much larger. A good cut flower.....   | 2.50              |      |
| <b>CANADA</b> (Paeony).                | Color, white. Petals are heavy, and blooms held on long erect stems.....   | 2.00              |      |
| <b>CARL OWEN</b> (Show).               | Although the show dahlia is not the most popular type this dahlia has made such a good showing the last three years it will lead its class for a perfectly formed, full-centre, rich, non-fading carmine red. Flowers borne on long erect stems, and of very good size for a show dahlia. Worthy of your trial.. | 1.00              |      |
| <b>CARMEN SYLVA</b> (Decorative).      | A Holland introduction of medium size on erect stems. Color, salmon pink shaded rose. A good keeper .....  | .50               |      |
| <b>CAROLYN WINTJEN</b> (Decorative).   | A beautiful exhibition dahlia of massive formation on a good stem. Color, salmon pink shaded rose.....   | 1.50              |      |
| <b>CHIEFTAIN</b> (Decorative).         | Clear, light red, heavily streaked and splashed canary yellow; some flowers all red; very large and attractive, fine for exhibition.....   | .75               |      |
| <b>COLOSSAL PEACE</b> (Hybrid-Cactus). | A massive cactus dahlia of the Kalif form and size, often measuring eight inches across; later in the season when the flower shows a centre it is a wonderful paeony dahlia; color creamy white at centre, shading violet rose with lighter tips, early and profuse .....  | 1.50              |      |
| <b>COMSTOCK</b> (Decorative).          | An immense yellow flower of great substance. Petals slightly fluted, good stems, and fine for cutting .....  | 1.00              |      |
| <b>CONQUEST</b> (Cactus).              | Rich garnet with maroon shadings. Petals finely quilled and twisted. One of the best... .75  |                   |      |
| <b>COUNTESS OF LONSDALE</b> (Cactus).  | Profuse and continuous bloomer; fine form and good stems. Color madder red with crimson-carmine shading at tips.....   | .35               |      |

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| CROWN OF GOLD (Decorative). Very popular as a cut flower; color a Chinese orange with golden suffusion .....  | .25  |
| CRYSTAL (Cactus). The finest dahlia in its class and color. Flowers of large size borne in profusion, petals long, twisted and incurved; color a soft, silvery rose, shading to white at centre and tips. Stems pendant at times .....  | .50  |
| DAHLIADEL CENTURY. It is all that can be asked for in a white single dahlia. Its size, form, habit of growth, productiveness, and clear pure white color put it far ahead of anything else.....   | .25  |
| DARLENE (Decorative). A profuse and early bloomer. Soft pink, shading to white at centre.....   | .35  |
| DELICE (Decorative). Violet rose lightly suffused aniline red; on the whole a bright, yet soft, luminous pink. Flowers held well above the foliage on long straight stems .....   | .35  |
| DIANA (Hybrid Paeony). A good Holland variety. Color, crimson with violet reflex. Splendid stems.....   | .75  |
| D. M. MOORE (Decorative). Rich, dark, velvety maroon, almost black. Very large, free and of good form..   | .50  |
| DOROTHY PEACOCK (Show). A beautiful pale lilac rose, shading to white at centre; of fine branching habit..  | .35  |
| DOROTHY ROBBINS (Decorative). Color, peach red suffused apricot. A fine grower of very good form and size, free flowering and fine for cutting.....   | 2.00 |
| DREAM (Decorative). A flower of beauty and perfect form. Color, peach with an amber-like glow. A free bloomer .....   | 1.00 |
| DREER'S WHITE (Show). The finest snow white show dahlia as yet introduced; flowers of perfect form borne in great profusion .....   | .25  |
| DREER'S YELLOW (Show). A beautiful show dahlia of perfect form; stems long and straight, carrying the blooms well above the foliage. Often measuring seven to eight inches in diameter. In form the flower is like Dreer's White and is a very healthy grower. Color a rich, deep sulphur yellow..... | .50  |
| DR. TEVIS (Decorative). One of the largest and most attractive dahlias grown, color bronzy old gold, shaded and suffused violet rose. Flowers borne on erect stems. Fine for exhibition, and a dahlia of real merit. Has a tremendous record as a prize winner.....                                   | .75  |
| DUCHESS OF MARLBORO (Cactus). Flower composed of long twisted and incurved petals, fine form, large and graceful stem. Color golden orange overlaid solferino .....   | .50  |

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| <b>EARLE WILLIAMS</b> (Decorative). A giant, scarlet tipped white. Flowers deep and regularly formed on fine stems.  |      |
| A very free bloomer.....   | 5.00 |
| <b>ECKFORD CENTURY</b> . Color white spotted pink and crimson .....  | .35  |
| <b>EDITH WOOSTER</b> (Decorative). Large blooms of a golden yellow suffused red. A free bloomer, similar to Geisha in size and color but full centered.....                        | 1.00 |
| <b>E. F. HAWS</b> (Cactus). Flowers of good form on stiff stems. Color, a soft salmon pink.....  | .50  |
| <b>EMBASSADOR</b> (Decorative). Immense blooms with good stems. Color, deepest shade of red or maroon.....   | 1.00 |
| <b>ETENDARD DE LYON</b> (Cactus). Large, massive, yet graceful blooms, on strong stems. Color reddish violet overlaid Tyrian rose .....  | .75  |
| <b>ETHEL WOLFRUM</b> (Show). A beautiful rose pink shading to cream white at centre. Flowers of medium size, and a profuse bloomer, of fine branching habit, with good stems ..... | .25  |
| <b>EVELYN ADAMSON</b> (Decorative). Fawn pink, shading lighter. Good form and stem.....  | 1.50 |
| <b>FAUST</b> (Decorative Paeony). Large exhibition flower, color deep morocco-red, shading rosy carmine on reverse of petals, the long twisted petals showing lighter.....         | .50  |
| <b>F. G. SCHEIFF</b> (Decorative). A dwarf grower with long, erect stems. Color, golden bronze shaded red.....   | .75  |
| <b>FIRE CRACKERS</b> (Hybrid Cactus). Large flowers of scarlet, sometimes tipped orange. Good stems, free bloomer, and blends well with the autumn shades.....                     | 1.00 |
| <b>FLORENCE</b> (Show). Perfect form of good size, erect stem and very profuse. Color pale light lilac; a very pleasing shade .....  | 1.00 |

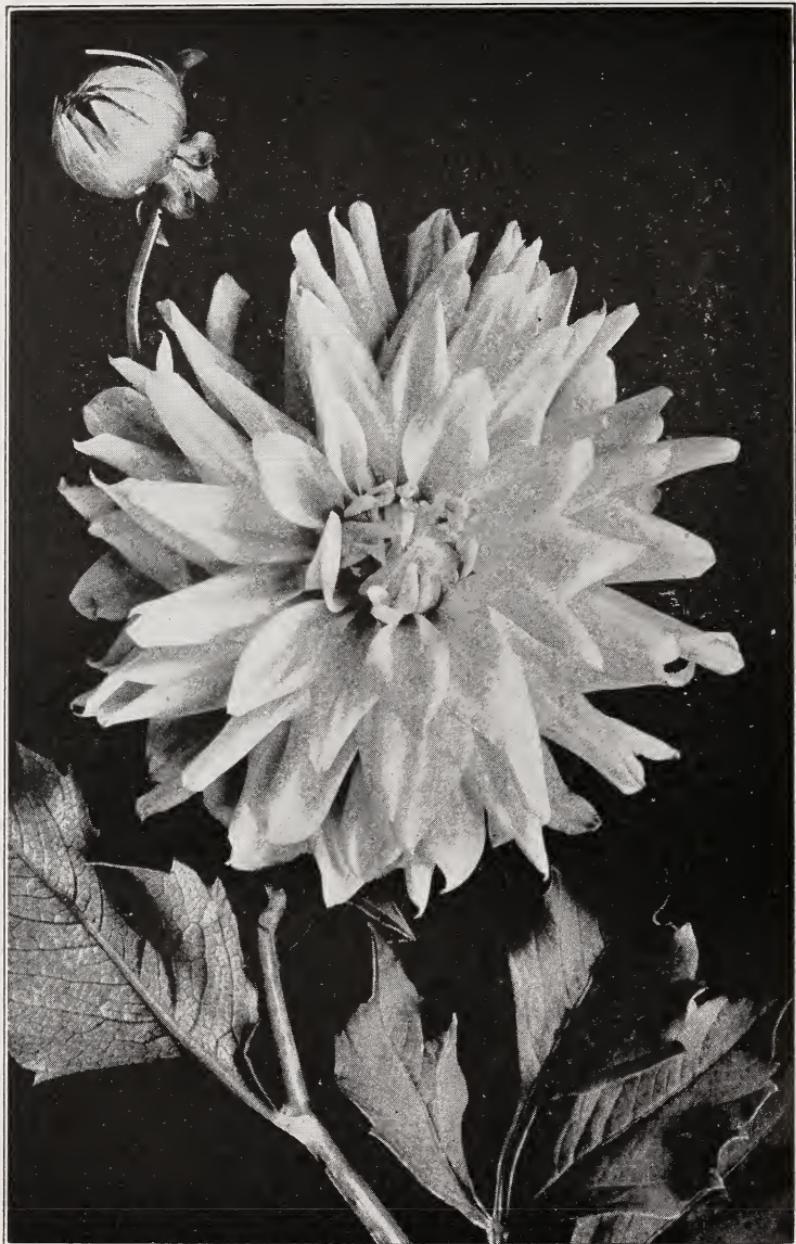


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| FLORENCE FINGER (Decorative). A giant bright rose decorative. Free flowering and a good cut flower...  | 2.00 |
| FRANCES WHITE (Cactus). Pure white, shading to sulphur white at centre. One of the finest white cactus dahlias grown .....   | .35  |
| FRECKLES (Decorative). Buttercup yellow streaked and penciled garnet, some flowers all garnet on erect stems. A very early and profuse bloomer. A. D. S. Certificate, 1920 .....   | .75  |
| FUTURITY (Decorative). An especially fine and popular dahlia, with the exception that it is a poor root producer. Color, crimson pink or lilac rose, underlaid with soft yellow. Size, stem and bush are fine.....                   | 1.00 |
| F. W. FELLOWS (Cactus). Flowers of phenomenal size, composed of numerous long narrow petals of a lively orange scarlet. A good exhibition variety.....   | .75  |
| GEISHA (Paeony). Buttercup yellow at base of petals, shading to scarlet at centre, and passing lighter at tips. Petals broad, loose and peculiarly twisted. The most popular and striking paeony-flowered dahlia. Green plants ..... | 1.00 |
| GEANT DE LYON (Collarette). Carmine maroon with a long cream collar. This attractive flower has made the Collarettes so much in demand for cut flowers. Very free flowering, with good strong stems.....                             | 1.00 |
| GENEVEVA (Cactus). Fine sulphur yellow; good size..  | .25  |
| GENERAL MILES (Show). Can be described as a show Lt Grand Manitou; size large; free bloomer.....   | .75  |
| GENERAL PERSHING (Hybrid-Cactus). A heavy type cactus with curved and twisted petals, a strong grower and profuse bloomer, color white with cream shadings at centre .....   | .25  |



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| GEORGE WALTERS (Hybrid Cactus). A monster hybrid cactus of coppery old gold with buff base, fine form, a prize winner, and a California standard.....  | .75  |
| GLADYS BATES (Cactus). A huge cut flower with in-curving petals. Blooms held on erect stems. Color, tan with rose reverse. Perfect form, with full centre. A dahlia of real merit .....  | 2.00 |
| GLADYS SHERWOOD (Cactus). An immense white flower, deep and full to the centre, with long, wide, pointed petals. Good stems, and free flowering.....   | 1.50 |
| GLORIEUX (Decorative). Large flowers of a bronzy yellow usually distinctly tipped white. Fine stems, and altogether a flower of wondrous beauty.....   | 2.00 |
| GLORY OF ARGONNE (Decorative). Color, delicate violet rose shading to white at centre, perfect, even form on erect stem. One of our best, and fine for cut flower or exhibition .....  | 1.00 |
| GOLDEN GLOW (Decorative). Flowers of immense size on long, stiff stems. Color, golden apricot. Exceptionally good keeping qualities.....   | 1.50 |
| GOLDEN WEST (Cactus). Color deep rich yellow overlaid orange. Flowers of large size on erect stems.....  | .50  |
| GOLDEN WEST (Hybrid-Show). Large and distinct; high, full centre, with petals notched at tips. Color a clear primrose yellow .....   | .35  |
| GOLD MEDAL (Show). Sunflower yellow tipped and suffused Oriental red; very striking and popular.....   | .50  |
| HAMPTON COURT (Paeony). A bold, but not coarse flower; color pale hydrangea pink with bright mauve pink shadings .....   | .50  |
| HARMONY (Decorative). Color very similar to Wodan, mauve rose with golden suffusion, good form and habit of growth .....   | .25  |
| HARVEST MOON (Decorative). A wonderful dahlia, bush dwarf, with large decorative flowers held well above the foliage on strong erect stems. The broad, thick petals curve back towards the stem, almost making a ball; color a clear, deep sulphur or primrose yellow; very early and profuse. A. D. S. Certificate, 1920.....   | 1.50 |
| HENRY F. MICHELL (Decorative) (Root). Introduced in 1923. A very large bloom of true scarlet color. These flowers are not only large in diameter but very deep, and are held on strong stems. The bush growth is exceptionally hardy and reaches a height of seven feet. Won the C. of M. A. D. Soc. at Storrs, Conn., and at College Park, Md., 1923. Also the C. of M. D. Soc. of Calif., 1923. .... | 5.00 |

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| <b>HOCHSAI</b> (Decorative).               | Russet orange shading amber at tips, and brightened with a golden sheen. Flowers of fine form and size on good stems.....  | .50  |
| <b>HORTULANUS FIET</b> (Giant Decorative). | The general color effect is lilac rose, while the petals shade from golden yellow at base to pale lilac at tips, with deep lilac rose suffusion. Colossal size, some blooms measuring nine inches across; good stem; free flowering.....                             | 1.00 |
| <b>INSULINDE</b> (Hybrid Decorative).      | The finest and most artistic dahlia of distinct form with petals twisted and curled. Stems are two to three feet long, and flowers nine to ten inches across. Color a rich saffron yellow shaded russet orange. One of the grandest of Holland's introductions ..... | 2.00 |
| <b>IRINE SATIS</b> (Cactus).               | An exhibition variety of immense size; petals long and pointed. Color lemon yellow; shaded golden bronze, on good stems.....   | .75  |
| <b>ISABEL STREET</b> (Decorative).         | Color yellow at base of petals, shading bright rose red, with white tips. A very strong vigorous grower, producing large well-formed flowers on long erect stems.....  | 3.00 |
| <b>JEAN CHAZOT</b> (Cactus).               | Flowers of good size and of graceful formation on good stems. Color, orange suffused gold, frequently tipped golden yellow.....  | 2.00 |
| <b>J. H. JACKSON</b> (Cactus).             | Color rich, purplish garnet, maroon shadings .....   | .25  |
| <b>JOHN LEWIS CHILDS</b> (Decorative).     | One of the finest fancy dahlias grown. Color, yellow penciled and suffused bright scarlet, frequently tipped white. Flowers of immense size, borne profusely on good, erect stems.....   | 2.00 |
| <b>JOHN TOZER</b> (Show).                  | Flowers of perfect form throughout the season, often measuring 7 inches across, color Bishop's violet. Very popular.....   | .50  |
| <b>JUDGE PARKER</b> (Decorative).          | One of the giants. Flowers of good form borne on good stems on massive bushes. Color, golden tan .....   | 5.00 |
| <b>KALIF</b> (Colossal Cactus).            | Color rich strawberry red, or carmine. The mammoth flowers are borne on stiff stems and in great profusion, especially considering the size of the flower, which frequently measures from eight to ten inches in diameter .....                                      | .75  |
| <b>KING ALBERT</b> (Paeony).               | Perfectly formed, rich royal purple of immense size on good stems. A large, graceful flower .....  | 1.00 |
| <b>KING MIDAS</b> (Show).                  | A fine white with lilac shadings on a long, erect stem; perfect form.....  | .25  |
| <b>KING OF THE AUTUMN</b> (Decorative).    | Buff yellow suffused with terra cotta. A well-formed dahlia on strong stems; of great substance and keeping qualities....  | .75  |



COLOSSAL PEACE (HYBRID-CACTUS)

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| KITTY DUNLAP (Decorative).     | Flowers of immense size with broad petals held on long, erect stems. Has great substance and good keeping qualities. Color, an American Beauty shade .....  | 4.00 |
| LADDIE (Decorative).           | Broomall. An excellent dahlia for exhibition or cutting. Large, well-formed flowers of wonderful substance on rigid, erect stems, borne in profusion. Color, soft sulphur yellow at centre, shaded and suffused rose and tan. A dahlia of real merit..... | 1.50 |
| LADY HELEN (Hybrid Cactus).    | An immense flower of beautiful formation. Color, soft carmine veined white. Good stems .....  | 2.50 |
| LA FAVORITA (Hybrid Cactus).   | Beautiful brilliant orange, shaded lighter at twisted points. Perfect form, and useful for any purpose .....  | .75  |
| LAMOND (Decorative).           | Large, finely formed dahlia with a good stem. Color, lemon yellow with scarlet shadings. Petals beautifully curled and twisted, making a unique flower .....  | 2.00 |
| LE GRAND MANITOU (Decorative). | A superb giant of excellent form; color Bishop's violet mottled and striped French purple; some blossoms self-colored.....  | .50  |
| LIBERTY BELL (Hybrid-Cactus).  | Similar in form to Break O' Day, although not as erect a stem. Color, soft crimson carmine, shading yellow at base of petals, and white at tips .....   | .50  |
| LIBERTY BOND (Decorative).     | A beautiful blending of buff, bronze and salmon. Flowers are large. A vigorous grower with large, strong stems.....   | 2.50 |
| LIONEL (Cactus).               | A true cactus of fine form on a good stem. Color, salmon old rose with a golden suffusion. An ideal cactus dahlia and fine for cutting. A. D. S. Certificate, 1922.....   | 2.00 |
| LOTTA (Paeony).                | A very striking and pleasing combination of rich crimson carmine, shaded with yellow and white. Very free flowering, on excellent stems.....  | 1.00 |
| MABLE B. TAFT (Decorative).    | This dahlia must be disbudded and will produce perfect flowers of good substance in profusion on fine stems. Color, yellow at centre, suffused with pinkish apricot.....  | 1.00 |
| MADONNA (Decorative).          | A distinctive ivory-white dahlia of unique form, with semi-curved and twisted petals. Good size, and erect stems.....   | .50  |
| MARGUERITE BOUCHON (Cactus).   | A magnificent, large, full flower, centre pure white, outer petals a brilliant, yet soft violet rose with distinct white tipping....  | .75  |

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| MARIPOSA (Hybrid Cactus). A gigantic flower of great depth, perfect form, with narrow incurved petals. A beautiful pink shading darker at centre with a violet suffusion which adds to the effect. An early and profuse bloomer on long, erect stems. A great favorite .....                  | 5.00 |
| MARTHA WASHINGTON (Decorative). This large cup-petaled decorative is very unique in form. Color rich, velvety maroon, shaded and tipped Tyrian rose. Stems and habit of growth excellent. Very popular in the trials .....  | 2.00 |
| MARY C. BURNS (Decorative). The extraordinary coloring and artistic form give this dahlia its great popularity. The petals are old gold, showing a reflex of dull red as the petals twist. Flowers of very good size on fine stems .....  | 2.00 |
| MASTERPIECE (Cactus). A symmetrical flower composed of long, slender petals; color pale lilac rose at tips, gradually passing to soft sea-amber at base of petals .....   | .50  |
| MEPHISTOPHELES (Decorative). A Marean dahlia of fine form and size with a good stem. Deep rich carmine-tipped yellow. Very striking and velvety in appearance .....   | 5.00 |
| MEYERBEER (Paeony). Flowers are very large and showy. Color, purplish garnet, shading to a Tyrian rose....  | 1.00 |
| MIGNON (Hybrid Cactus). A clear light violet, shading to white at centre. Large upright flowers, borne in profusion .....   | .50  |
| MILLIONAIRE (Decorative). Clear violet mauve shading to white at centre, very deep and massive. One of the finest and largest exhibition varieties.....   | 1.50 |
| MINA BURGLE (Decorative). Rich, dark scarlet or geranium red; profuse bloomer; ideal for the garden or as a cut flower .....  | .35  |
| MME. ANNIE MARIE CHANTRE (Cactus). A fine and large violet rose cactus dahlia; petals long, straight and cleft; good stems and growth.....  | .75  |
| MME. BUTTERFLY (Hybrid Decorative). Flowers of wonderful grace and color combinations of violet rose shading darker at tips and blending to a deep golden yellow at base of petals. The long, rather narrow, pointed petals twist, showing a rosy magenta reflex, making it very unique ..... | 1.50 |
| MME. COISSARD (Paeony). Rich, dark crimson-carmine, shading to white at centre. Large and showy.....  | .50  |
| MME. ESCHENAUER (Cactus). Color yellow at base of petals, passing to sulphury white, suffused and tipped and tipped pale lilac, very profuse .....  | .50  |



MME. BUTTERFLY

**MONS. LENORMAND** (Decorative). Large flowers of bright sunflower yellow, striped and speckled crimson red. Good growing habit. A very striking and pleasing variety. 1.00

**MONT BLANC** (Decorative). Pure white, with creamy shadings. Flowers borne in profusion on erect stems.... .25

**MR. ALEX. WALDIE** (Decorative). Color, cream overlaid salmon pink. Similar to Bonnie Brae but better form, stem and bush growth..... 3.50

**MR. JIGGS** (Decorative). Color bright Fusian red with white shadings—a very showy flower, an early and profuse bloomer of good size..... .75

**MRS. ADDISON PRATT** (Hybrid Decorative). Flowers of immense size on good stems, a great exhibition variety with petals long and twisted. A beautiful blending of violet rose and deep buttercup yellow..... 2.00

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| MRS. CARL SALBACH (Decorative). One of the best exhibition decoratives of perfect form, with good keeping qualities. The very large, full blooms are produced in profusion and are held high on exceptionally long stems. Color, lilac rose, shading to white at base of petals. Generally described as a beautiful soft rose pink. A prize winner .....  | 1.50 |
| MRS. C. G. WYATT (Cactus). A magnificent pure white; petals numerous, long and incurved.....  | .50  |
| MRS. C. H. BRECK (Hybrid-Decorative). A beautiful, large, free-flowering, exhibition variety. Soft yellow suffused with carmine .....   | .50  |
| MRS. EDNA SPENCER (Hybrid Cactus). A giant of the true cactus type, greatly recommended for its keeping qualities as a cut flower. Flowers held erect on the best of stems. Color, pale lilac, shading lighter at centre..  | .75  |
| MRS. E. F. T. SMITH (Cactus). Immense flowers held well above foliage on strong stems. Color, creamy white shading to lemon tint at centre. Profuse bloomer..   | 2.50 |
| MRS. F. C. BURNS (Decorative). A beautiful shell pink decorative with good habits .....   | 1.00 |
| MRS. GEO. W. ELKINS, JR. (Decorative). This wonderful new decorative exhibition dahlia ranks with the very best of present day novelties. The flowers are extremely large and deep with full centres, borne on erect stems. It is a free and open grower. The petals are long, pointed, and gracefully twisted. The color is beautiful, old gold, suffused salmon pink with a faint reflex of rosy pink. Of remarkable beauty, and a delight to every grower. A. D. S. Certificate, 1922..... | 2.50 |
| MRS. G. GORDON (Paeony). The most beautiful sulphury white paeony dahlia yet introduced; of immense size, on good stems .....   | .35  |
| MRS. I DE VER WARNER (Decorative). One of the most wonderful dahlias in existence—a universal favorite. Color, a clear, bright lilac rose. The plant is a strong, open grower, and the giant flowers can be produced on stems of almost any length you may desire them..  | 4.00 |
| MRS. JAS. A. BABBITT (Decorative). Flowers of immense size with incurved petals. Color, deep yellow with reverse of petals overlaid with crimson. A very attractive flower .....  | 2.50 |
| MRS. JAS. ROLPH, JR. (Cactus). Very large, fine formed flowers on good stems. Color, yellow suffused red, similar to Geisha, only a fine-quilled cactus.....  | 2.50 |
| MRS. J. C. MORAN (Decorative). Large flowers of even form on erect stems. Color soft lilac shading white. Bush rather dwarf, but a profuse bloomer and very satisfactory .....  | .50  |

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| <b>MRS. NAT SLOCUMB</b> (Hybrid Cactus).      | One of the very best yellow hybrid cactus dahlias, of fine form and good size, borne on erect stems. Color, deep sunflower yellow.  | 1.00 |
| <b>MRS. RICHARD LOHRMANN</b> (Hybrid Cactus). | Beautifully formed flowers of deep sunflower or golden yellow. An excellent bush and fine stems .....   | 1.00 |
| <b>MRS. THOS. BURCH</b> (Decorative).         | Rich old gold, sometimes marked with pink, shading to fawn. Flowers full size, stems long and rigid. Fine for cutting....   | .50  |
| <b>MRS. THOMAS BUSH</b> (Decorative).         | Color reddish salmon, shading primrose yellow at centre and tipped rose; of immense size, on long stems .....   | .50  |
| <b>MRS. WARNAAR</b> (Colossal Cactus).        | Mammoth size, good form and substance. Color creamy white with apple blossom suffusion .....  | 1.00 |
| <b>MRS. W. E. ESTES</b> (Hybrid Cactus).      | An incomparable white novelty of marvelous beauty. Profuse bloomer, with long erect stems .....   | 1.50 |
| <b>MT. SHASTA</b> (Hybrid Cactus).            | A wonderful blending of shell pink, shading darker, and tones to light yellow at centre. A fine all-purpose dahlia .....  | 2.00 |
| <b>NANCY MAE</b> (Cactus).                    | Carmine, shading rich reddish purple; the general effect being a deep, velvety red. Fine large flowers borne on good erect stems.....   | .35  |
| <b>NEVADA</b> (Decorative).                   | A fine pure white flower. Good stems and habits .....   | .75  |
| <b>NIBELUNGENHORT</b> (Colossal Cactus).      | A magnificent flower, often measuring from seven to eight inches in diameter; petals broad, irregularly twisted and curled, of a sunflower yellow suffused and tipped violet rose..       | .75  |
| <b>NINA</b> (Decorative).                     | A large white, with a lilac blush, growing six to seven inches across. On very long, erect stems, petals cleft and of regular formation.....  | .25  |
| <b>NOBILIS</b> (Decorative).                  | Very similar to Earle Williams in form and color, except that the white predominates. Color crimson and white. A real exhibition variety..  | 2.00 |
| <b>OLD SOL</b> (Paeony).                      | Color primrose yellow, shaded coppery red with golden bronze suffusion. A splendidly formed paeony dahlia of large size, borne on stout stems; a very graceful and attractive flower..... | .50  |
| <b>OREGON BEAUTY</b> (Decorative).            | Intense Oriental red, carmine suffusion. A magnificent variety, large and early .....   | .25  |
| <b>OSAM SHUDOW</b> (Decorative).              | A beautiful flower with big heavy loose petals of old rose suffused lilac and shading to yellow at centre. A sturdy tall grower which produces huge blooms.....                           | 3.50 |
| <b>PACIFIC GLOW</b> (Paeony).                 | A paeony of immense size, with petals long and slightly twisted. A beautiful soft pink. Stems pendant .....   | 1.00 |

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| <b>PATRICK O'MARA</b> (Decorative).      | Soft orange buff slightly tinged with rose. Flowers of medium size and good form produced on long, erect stems.....  | 1.00 |
| <b>PAUL MICHAEL</b> (Decorative).        | One of the largest dahlias to date. Beautifully formed petals which are pointed, curled and twisted. Color, deep buttercup yellow, shaded with old rose, making it an ideal exhibition dahlia.....   | 5.00 |
| <b>PEQUOT</b> (Decorative).              | White shaded lilac, medium size. Petals open back forming a perfect ball.....  | .75  |
| <b>PIERROT</b> (Cactus).                 | Deep amber usually tipped white; a great exhibition variety .....  | .50  |
| <b>PINK FLAMINGO</b> (Decorative).       | A dahlia of fine form, sometimes showing an open centre. Color violet rose overlaid Tyrian rose; very free flowering and early.....  | .50  |
| <b>PRES. WILSON</b> (Decorative).        | A large carmine crimson tipped white. Some flowers self-colored. Large size, full centred flowers on good stems. Petals long flat and pointed. A very striking variegated variety.   |      |
| Green plants .....                       |  | 2.50 |
| Roots .....                              |  | 5.00 |
| <b>PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA</b> (Decorative). | A large crimson red, with dark full centre, held on extra good stem. Fine for garden and exhibition .....  | .75  |
| <b>PRIDE OF PORTLAND</b> (Paeony).       | A red and yellow paeony, similar to Geisha. Good stems.....  | 1.00 |
| <b>PRINCESS PAT</b> (Decorative).        | Flowers are very large, of perfect form, on good stems. Color, a very pleasing shade of old rose, which illuminates under artificial light..   | 1.50 |
| <b>QUAKER CITY</b> (Hybrid-Cactus).      | In this fine cactus dahlia each petal is supplemented with from three to six narrow pointed petals showing up through the flower, making a very attractive and artistic flower; of good Size, borne profusely. Color primrose yellow. A. D. S. Certificate, 1920 ..... | .75  |
| <b>QUEEN ELIZABETH</b> (Paeony).         | A perfectly formed paeony on erect stems. Color a clear violet rose.....   | .50  |
| <b>QUEEN ESTHER</b> (Paeony).            | Good size, form and stem. Color, brilliant red.....  | .75  |
| <b>QUEEN MARY</b> (Decorative).          | A good all-purpose dahlia, especially good for cutting. Color, clear, silvery pink, shading cerise. Fine stems and bush.....   | .35  |
| <b>RED CROSS</b> (Hybrid Cactus).        | Old gold shading yellow and suffused scarlet. Very striking. One of our largest and finest dahlias, with perfect stem, form, and growth..  | 1.00 |
| <b>RED FLAMINGO</b> (Hybrid Decorative). | A unique dahlia of distinct form, with broad wavy petals. Color a rich dark crimson-red. A profuse bloomer, and a beautiful decorative dahlia .....  | .75  |

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| REV. T. W. JAMISON (Cactus).     | Color violet rose at tips,<br>shading lighter and blending with primrose yellow at<br>base. Petals long and incurved; very free and pro-<br>fuse .....  | .35  |
| RHEINISCHER FROHSINN (Cactus).   | A very striking<br>variety; color white at base of petals, quickly passing<br>to an iridescent crimson-carmine; good form.....  | .75  |
| ROSALIA STYLES (Paeony).         | Large Tyrian pink of beautiful<br>form tipped lighter. Free flowering on long stiff stems.<br>Sturdy, vigorous grower .....   | 2.00 |
| ROSA NELL (Decorative).          | This extremely large full cen-<br>tered exhibition dahlia is held on long erect stems and<br>is one of the best. Color commonly described as a bright<br>rose, but really a bright Tyrian rose..... | 2.00 |
| ROTHESAY (Decorative).           | Large flowers of bright crimson<br>with good stems .....  | .50  |
| RUTH GLEADELL (Cactus).          | Color lemon yellow shading<br>to buff, suffused and tipped pale lilac rose.....   | .50  |
| RUTH ROLAND (Decorative.)        | Large, well-formed, decora-<br>tive; color sulphur yellow, tipped and suffused mauve<br>rose; of good size and growth. A. D. S. Certificate,<br>1920 .....  | .75  |
| SAMARITAN (Cactus).              | A medium size pure white cactus<br>with pointed petals. Excellent for cutting and also for<br>funeral work .....  | .50  |
| SAMMIE (Decorative).             | The largest ball-shaped yellow deco-<br>rative dahlia grown. Color, clear, deep primrose yellow;<br>of good substance on strong stems.....  | .50  |
| SCHONE HAMBERGERIN (Decorative). | Flowers of medium<br>size on good stems. Color, old gold suffused bronze.<br>Very profuse bloomer .....   | .75  |
| SEBASTAPOL (Decorative).         | Similar to Crown of Gold only<br>a deeper Chinese orange. Very profuse bloomer....  | .25  |
| SENSATION (Duplex).              | Rich geranium or cardinal red,<br>tipped pure white; some flowers clear red. Very dis-<br>tinct and popular .....   | .25  |
| SEQUOIA (Cactus).                | Petals tubular, twisted and incurved;<br>color deep Indian yellow suffused madder rose. Free<br>flowering and early.....  | .35  |
| SHASTA (Decorative).             | A very large creamy white dahlia,<br>borne on good stems. The petals are cleft. A very tall<br>grower and free flowering.....   | 1.00 |
| SHELIKOFF (Decorative).          | A dahlia of good substance on<br>erect stems. Color, deep garnet. Type and form, very<br>good. A. D. S. Certificate 1920.....   | 1.00 |
| SHUDOW'S LAVENDER (Decorative).  | Silvery lavender with<br>white shadings, of beautiful formation. Plants are tall<br>and robust, with good stems. A general favorite..   | 5.00 |
| SNOWDRIFT (Decorative).          | Giant, pure-white deep flower,<br>with broad, waxy petals. Has a good stem by pruning<br>and disbudding .....   | 1.50 |

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| SOUV. DE MME. NAAGLE (Cactus). | Deep carmine with a lighter reflex showing in the points of the petals; very large, deep and unique.....   | 1.00 |
| STANLEY (Decorative).          | A dark carmine purple shaded deep Tyrian rose, of perfect form and large size, a winner. A. D. S. Certificate, 1920.....   | .75  |
| STUNNER (Decorative).          | Canary yellow of fine form. A strong sturdy grower. The best decorative of its color .....   | 1.00 |
| SULPHURIA (Decorative).        | Wonderful form with long petals thrown back like a Japanese chrysanthemum. Color, soft sulphur yellow. Very large and free flowering. Also an early bloomer.....                   | .75  |
| SUNBEAM (Decorative).          | An exhibition variety of exceptional substance and merit. Color scarlet shading amber. A very large full centre flower .....   | 1.00 |
| SUNSHINE (Decorative).         | Scarlet tipped gold. A good garden and exhibition variety.....   | 1.00 |
| SYLVANIA (Decorative).         | Creamy blush shaded pink. Fine stem and habit of growth. A favorite as a cut flower .....  | .75  |
| SYLVIA DICKEY (Decorative).    | A beautiful violet rose with lighter shadings. Flowers of great depth and substance. Free flowering, always in bloom from early until late in the season.....                      | 2.00 |
| TANGO (Century).               | Cadmium yellow, shaded scarlet orange .....  | .25  |
| THAIS (Hybrid-Cactus).         | White with delicate shadings of violet mauve, broad loose petals; very beautiful....   | .35  |
| THE GRIZZLY (Decorative).      | A giant exhibition variety on long erect stems. One of the best and most prolific bloomers. Color, velvety crimson maroon. A prize winning novelty with long reflexed petals ..... | 1.50 |
| THE LION (Cactus).             | Raspberry red or mauve rose with golden suffusion toward centre; a beautiful, large, bold flower .....   | .50  |
| THE U. S. A. (Decorative).     | A really beautiful flower of vivid orange of mammoth size, and of unusual formation which makes it very artistic. Good stems, and a free bloomer.....                              | 3.50 |
| TOM LUNDY (Hybrid Cactus).     | A huge crimson carmine beauty of full formation. Very satisfactory.....  | .75  |
| TRYPHINNIE (Decorative).       | Flowers of immense size held erect. Soft shell pink brightening to yellow at centre .....  | 3.50 |
| ULYSSE (Cactus).               | An appealing combination of salmon rose with golden yellow suffusion, petals broad, curling at tips; early and profuse.....  | .35  |
| VASHON (Paeony).               | A free-blooming, graceful paeony. Color, primrose yellow, suffused pink. A fine garden variety for color effect.....   | .50  |

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| VASSAR (Hybrid Cactus). An excellent new dahlia of unusual form. Petals open back to stem, forming a full deep bloom. Color, beautiful amber shaded soft old rose .....   | 2.00 |
| VATER RHEIN (Hybrid-Cactus). Sometimes of hybrid-cactus form, but more frequently a beautiful paeony. Color primrose yellow suffused and tipped salmon lilac, with a beautiful golden sheen.....  | .25  |
| VENUS (Hybrid Decorative). This wonderful flower, with pointed incurved petals of white shaded violet rose, is dainty in color effect. This unique dahlia is one of the best. Stem, bush and habit of growth make it very desirable. Size, large..... | 3.00 |
| VICAR OF WASPERTON (Cactus). This extremely large English type cactus dahlia ranks among the best. The petals are tightly curled and incurved. Color, Rosolane pink, shading to primrose yellow at centre.....  | 1.00 |
| <b>Victory</b> (Decorative). A wonderful amber decorative dahlia. Flowers very large and deep, of good form and substance. A dahlia of real merit.....  | .75  |
| VIVIAN C. BUTLER (Decorative). Beautiful dark red or maroon decorative of regular shape. Flowers large, held on erect stems .....   | 1.50 |
| WACHT AM RHEIN (Cactus). Soft hydrangea pink, shading to white at centre; petals deeply cleft; a good cut flower .....  | .35  |
| WASHINGTON CITY (Hybrid Cactus). High-class white of beautiful formation. Large blooms on long, erect stems. A fine exhibition variety.....   | 1.00 |
| W. D'ARCY RYAN (Decorative). Color deep Tyrian rose with distinct white tips. An unusual flower of large size and good growth.....  | 1.00 |
| WHOPPER (Decorative). Very similar to Azalea in color and form, but of much taller growth, better stems, and of fine branching habit. Color, yellow-buff shaded orange .....  | .75  |
| WIZARD OF OZ (Decorative). A rare shade of glowing amber pink shaded salmon. A real giant of beautiful formation. Good sturdy grower.....   | 7.50 |
| WODAN (Cactus). Long, gracefully twisted petals, of a mauve rose, reverse of petals violet rose, illuminated by a golden suffusion.....   | .50  |
| W. W. ALLEN (Hybrid Cactus). This fine large flower, with full centre, held well above foliage on a good stem. Color, soft crimson red. A great favorite.....   | 2.50 |
| W. W. RAWSON (Show). In form similar to Dreer's White; flowers of good size, stems erect; color a glistening white delicately flushed and suffused lilac.....   | .35  |
| YELLOW KING (Paeony Cactus). Color clear, light yellow. Large, elegant flowers on long stiff stems.....   | .35  |

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Rev. T. W. Jamison  
Yellow King

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Golden West C  
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Hochsai  
Mme. Annie Marie Chantree

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Pierrot  
Pink Flamingo  
Rothesay  
Victory

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